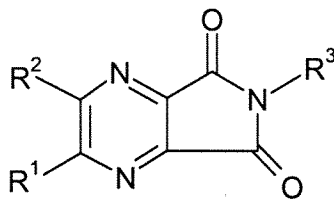


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Substitute Abstract
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The present invention relates to compounds of formula (IA)



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- 5 and pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof, in which R^1 and R^2 independently represent phenyl; R^3 represents a C_{3-4} alkyl group, C_{3-15} cycloalkyl, a phenyl C_{1-4} alkyl group, a heteroaryl group, a heteroaryl C_{1-4} alkyl group, or a group $R^4(CH_2)_n$ - in which R^4 represents a saturated or partially unsaturated 5 to 8 membered heterocyclic group containing one or more heteroatoms selected from nitrogen, oxygen or sulphur and n is 0, 1, 2, 3 or 4;
- 10 wherein each of R^1 , R^2 , R^3 and R^4 is optionally substituted by one, two or three groups represented by Z wherein Z represents a C_{1-6} alkyl group optionally substituted by one or more fluoro, a C_{1-6} alkoxy group optionally substituted by one or more fluoro, hydroxy, halo, trifluoromethylsulphonyl, benzyl, nitro, amino, mono or di C_{1-4} alkylamino, mono or di C_{1-3} alkylamido, C_{1-3} alkylsulphonyl, C_{1-6} alkoxycarbonyl, carboxy, cyano, carbamoyl,
- 15 mono or di C_{1-3} alkyl carbamoyl, sulphamoyl or acetyl and processes for preparing such compounds, their use in the treatment of obesity, psychiatric and neurological disorders, to methods for their therapeutic use and to pharmaceutical compositions containing them.